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Watou Belgium

My Dear Little Miffie

I will try and ans your last  
letter in which I rec. yesterday  
and I sure hope that you  
are well by this time  
it sure made me feel good  
to hear from you for I hadn't  
got a letter from you in  
nearly 3 weeks. The last week  
we have been moving around  
lots and there has been no  
mail go out or come in  
but it came in yesterday  
and they will send out  
mail. So I will hurry and  
rite this and get it out  
May

I guess you think I have  
forgoten to rite to you but  
you see fromy it is sent by



My fault  
Well honey I am in bed sitting  
to you I have had the tooth  
ake for the last 3 days and  
I had it pulled yesterday  
and today I am all swelled  
up but feel lots better  
this morning

Well honey I really don't  
no when they will get  
us back home but I  
hope pretty soon for I  
can hardly wait until  
I get back and see you  
and talk up to you  
Well and honey you will  
see that I will be just  
the same as the day I  
left you except more  
loving and true love too  
I got a letter from  
Sister Pearl H yesterday and  
V. A. H. and must try and



and them to stay  
Well honey we hiked for 2  
days & made about 7 hours  
each day and we are now  
in a small town by the  
name of Watou close to  
the border of Belgium and  
France about 20 miles from  
Dunkirk France we are now  
north east of there. about now  
if you can find it on the  
map or not  
Pearl sent me Georges address  
but I think I will wait  
and see if we go home soon  
or not before I write him  
Well honey it is raining  
here this morning but not  
quite as cold has it been  
from  
We cant tell yet how



long it will be before we  
will get back to US but  
I hope soon  
Some saids we would  
have to guard the Border  
German by the Rhine river  
and other said we would  
train here for a month or  
two and other said we  
would be on the foot by  
the first of the year. but  
we dont know nothing about  
it

Well honey I must close  
with lots of true love  
and lots of hugs and kisses  
Hoping to be with you soon  
from your love one Ruffell

But Ruffell 363 up 311

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